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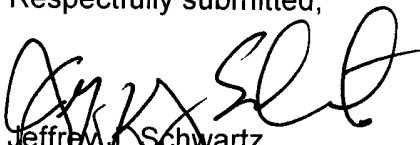
**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**  
**UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136**

Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests a 1-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 within which to respond to the outstanding Office Action. Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$55.00 for payment of the Extension of Time fee. (Small Entity)

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees applicable to the undersigned attorney's deposit account No. 502716. A duplicate of this Petition is enclosed for that purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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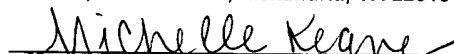
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